

WEATHER FORECAST

Nebraska: Mostly cloudy Tuesday, mostly snow; not much change in temperature.

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY. We may live without poetry, music and art. We may live without conscience and live without heart. We may live without friends; we may live without books. But civilized man cannot live without love. —Owen Meredith.

HIGHER WHEAT TARIFF IN WEEK DAUGHTERY MAY, JOLLOW DENBY

Navy Head's Resignation Is Accepted

Secretary Explains Act as Move to Relieve President Coolidge of Further Embarrassment.

First Break in the Cabinet

Washington, Feb. 18.—Secretary of the Navy Denby resigned to relieve President Coolidge "of the further embarrassment of continued political maneuvering and partisan political trickery."

Daughter's May Follow

Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty will follow Secretary of the Navy Denby in resigning from the president's cabinet.

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Denby's Letter of Resignation

Washington, Feb. 18.—Secretary Denby's letter of resignation, dated February 17, is as follows: "My Dear Mr. President: Heretofore I have verbally expressed to you my deep appreciation of your strong message in regard to the Robinson resolution."

The President's Reply

Washington, Feb. 18.—Following is the text of President Coolidge's letter, dated today: "My Dear Mr. Secretary: Your resignation has been received. I am conscious that you have tendered it from a sense of public duty."

Judge Morning Slain in Courtroom by Man Who Then Turns Gun on Self

Well Digger, Hailed Before Bar on Alimony Complaint, Shoots Jurist—Misses Wife and Attorney.



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By VICTOR HACKLER. Lincoln, Feb. 18.—"Now is the time for real action," said Senator Hiram W. Johnson, in address to the City auditorium this afternoon, talking about the oil leases prosecution.

Johnson spoke on the oil case, on farm relief and on the Mellon plan. He also mentioned the resignation of Secretary Denby.

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Demonstrating for the Trade



John Morehead Says He'll File for Re-Election

Congressman's Decision Removes Another Possibility for Senate From Ranks of Democrats.

Speed, Johnson Motto; Ad-Sell League Given Nonpolitical Talk

In 10 minutes time, Senator Hiram Johnson greeted members of the Ad-Sell league at the regular meeting at the Pottersville hotel last night.

McAdoo Pledges to Drive Out Graft From Washington

Chicago, Feb. 18.—A platform "to satisfy the demand of progress" was unannounced tonight by former Secretary of the Treasury William Gibbs McAdoo.

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Coolidge Is Expected to Raise Duty

Federal Commission Finds No One to Object to Findings on Competition of Canadian Grain.

Urged by Wheat Growers

By P. C. POWELL. Washington Correspondent. The Omaha Bee Washington, Feb. 18.—Not a voice was raised in opposition to the finding of the United States tariff commission that Canadian wheat was raised nearly 50 per cent cheaper than American wheat.

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Table with 3 columns: Hourly Temperatures, High, Low.